

Lane Plating Works Superfund Site



**Community Meeting
November 13, 2018**



Site Location



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Location and History

- ▶ Located at 5322 Bonnie View Road in Dallas, Texas Between Ledbetter Drive and Simpson Stuart Road immediately north of College Park
- ▶ Operated as an electroplating facility for approximately 90 years.
- ▶ Primary activities
 - Hard Chromium Plating
 - Cadmium Plating
- ▶ Other activities
 - Black Oxide Coating, Electroless Nickel Plating
 - Machining/Grinding, & Lead Melting Pot for Anode Repair.

Recent Site History

- ▶ Late 2015 – TCEQ noted the Lane Plating facility had ceased operations and closed
- ▶ Dec. 2015 – Lane Plating filed for bankruptcy
- ▶ Late Dec. 2015 – TCEQ conducted a limited removal action
 - Lab-packed select chemicals in the facility lab
 - Pumped waste from two on-site sumps (~8,000 gals)
 - Secured the facility
- ▶ Jan. 2016 – TCEQ Referred the site to EPA

Site Property



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INTERAGENCY PARTICIPATION AND SUPPORT

- U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- EA Engineering
- City of Dallas
- Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ)
- Texas Department of State Health Services (TDSHS)



Facility Buildings



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Office Building



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Hazardous Waste Treatment Bldg.



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Electroplating Facility/Thinner Area



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Daily Operations at the Lane Plating Works Facility



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Removal Assessment

- ▶ Site reconnaissance completed on March 23, 2016

- ▶ Field activities conducted April 12-13, 2016
 - Liquid waste sampling
 - Soil sampling

- ▶ Sample results
 - Liquid wastes are characteristically hazardous
 - Soils are contaminated predominantly with hex chrome, lead, and mercury above EPA Risk Screening Levels (RSLs)

Soil Sampling

- ▶ Soil sampling conducted:
 - April 12 – 13, 2016 (initial Removal Assessment)
 - Sept. 19 – 23, 2016 (in conjunction with the Removal Action)

- ▶ Most common metals detected associated with Lane Plating operations:
 - Hexavalent chromium
 - Lead
 - Mercury

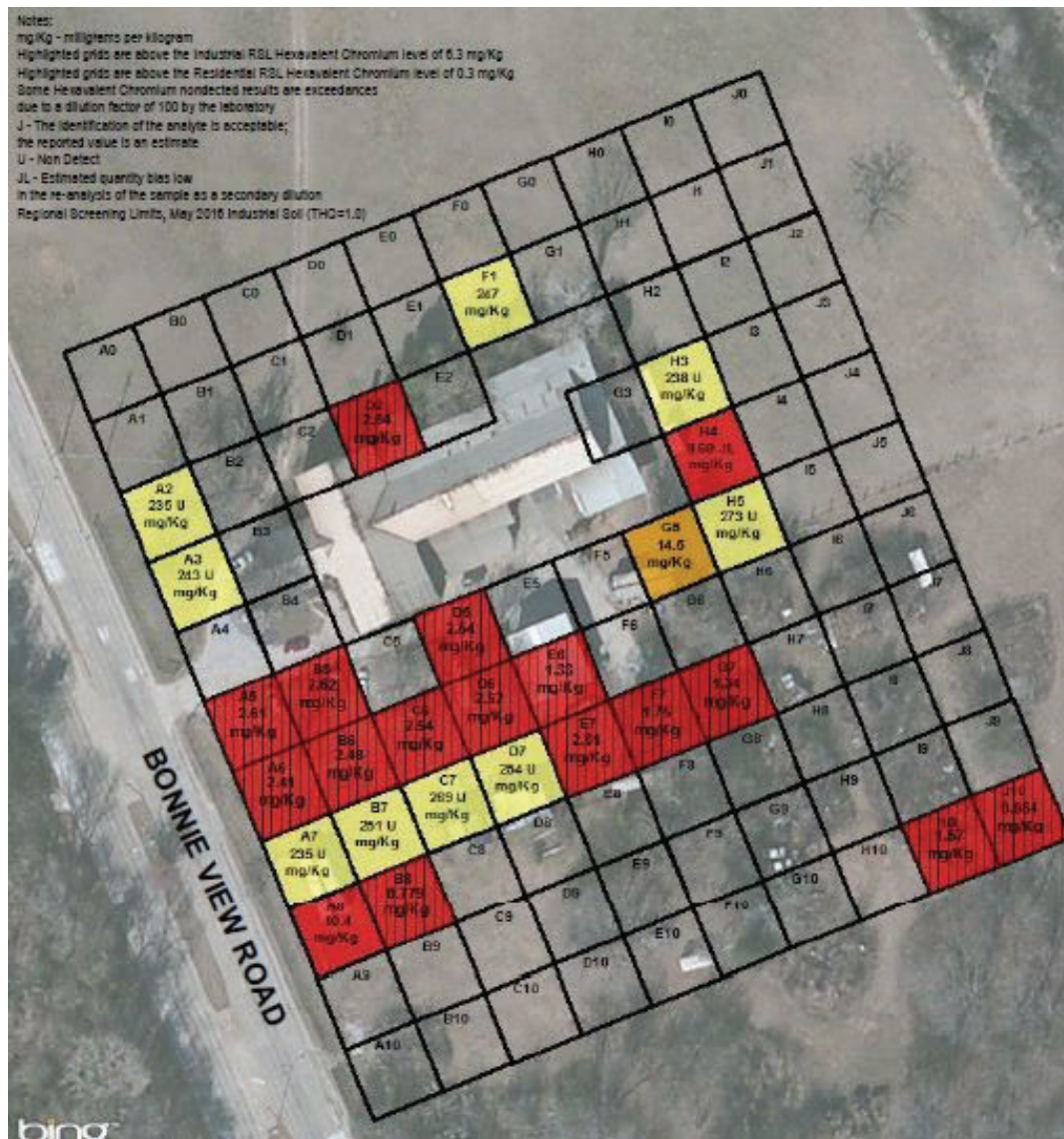
Soil Sampling Grid



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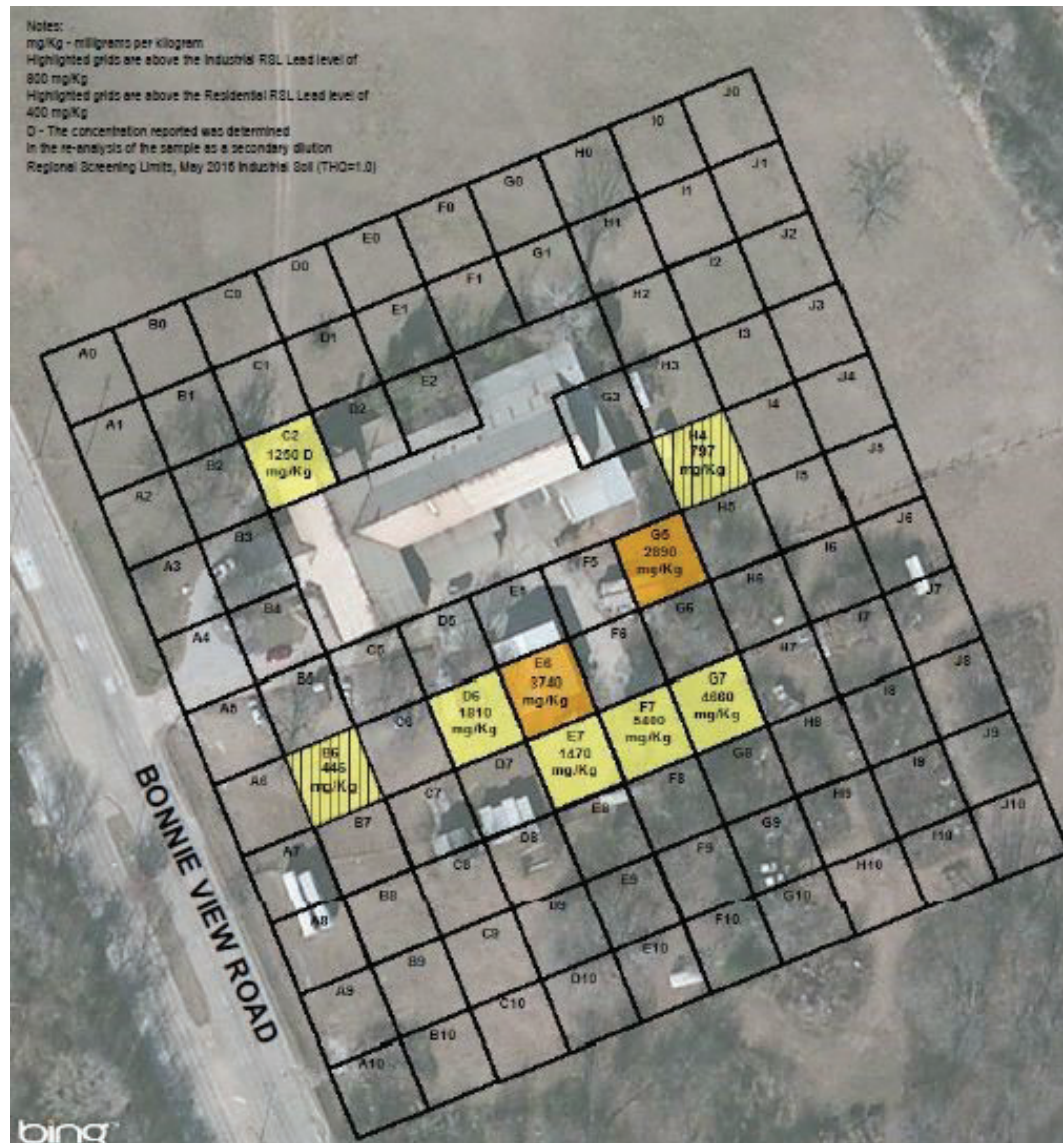
Soil Sampling – Hex Chrome



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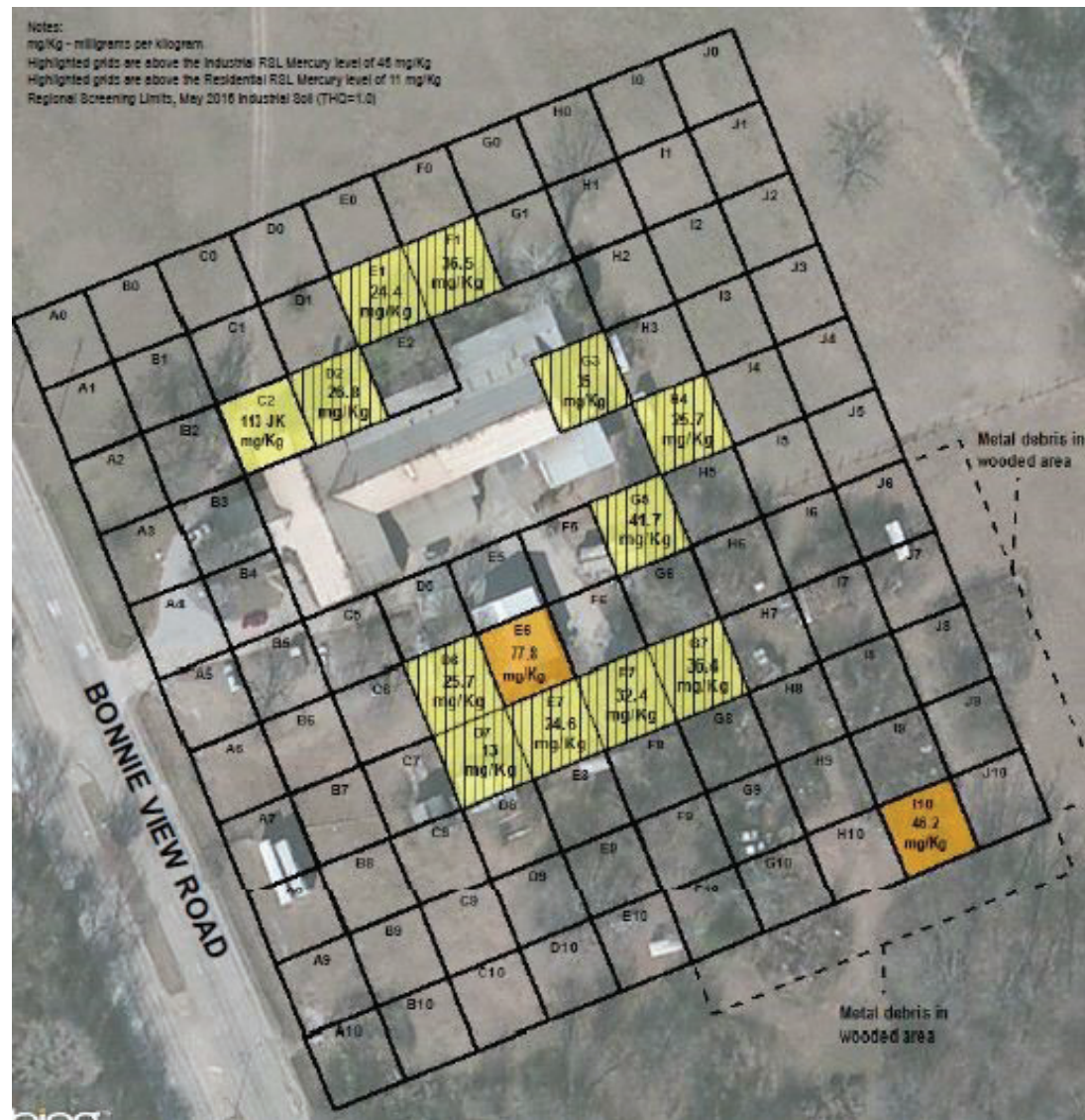
Soil Sampling – Lead



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Soil Sampling – Mercury



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Current Site Pictures



Current Site Pictures



Site Inspection

- ▶ Site Visit/Field Reconnaissance conducted on
- ▶ July 18-21, 2018

- ▶ Field Activities completed from July 18-21
 - Soil
 - Surface Water
 - Sediment

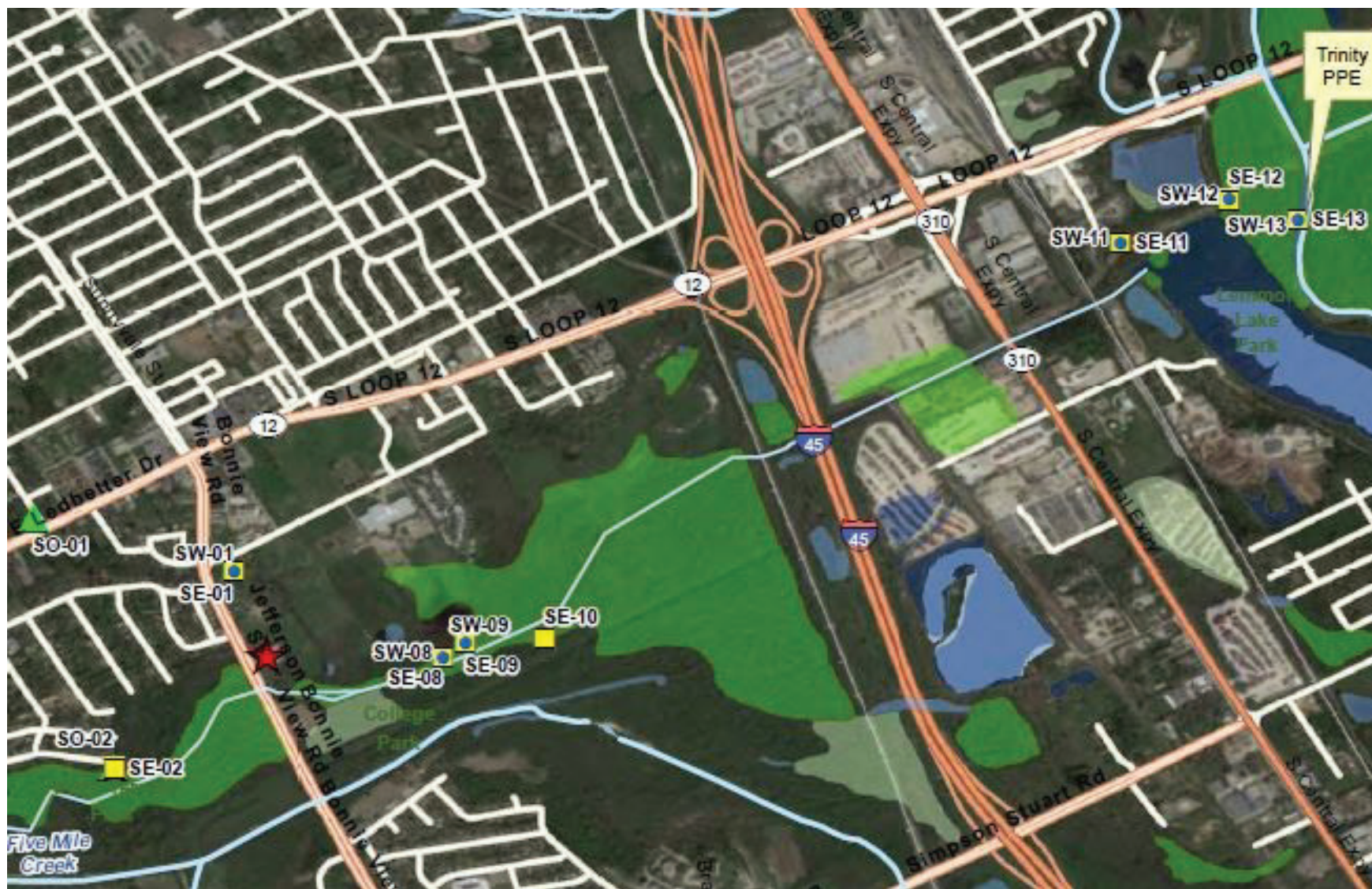
Site Investigation Sampling Map



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Exposure Pathway

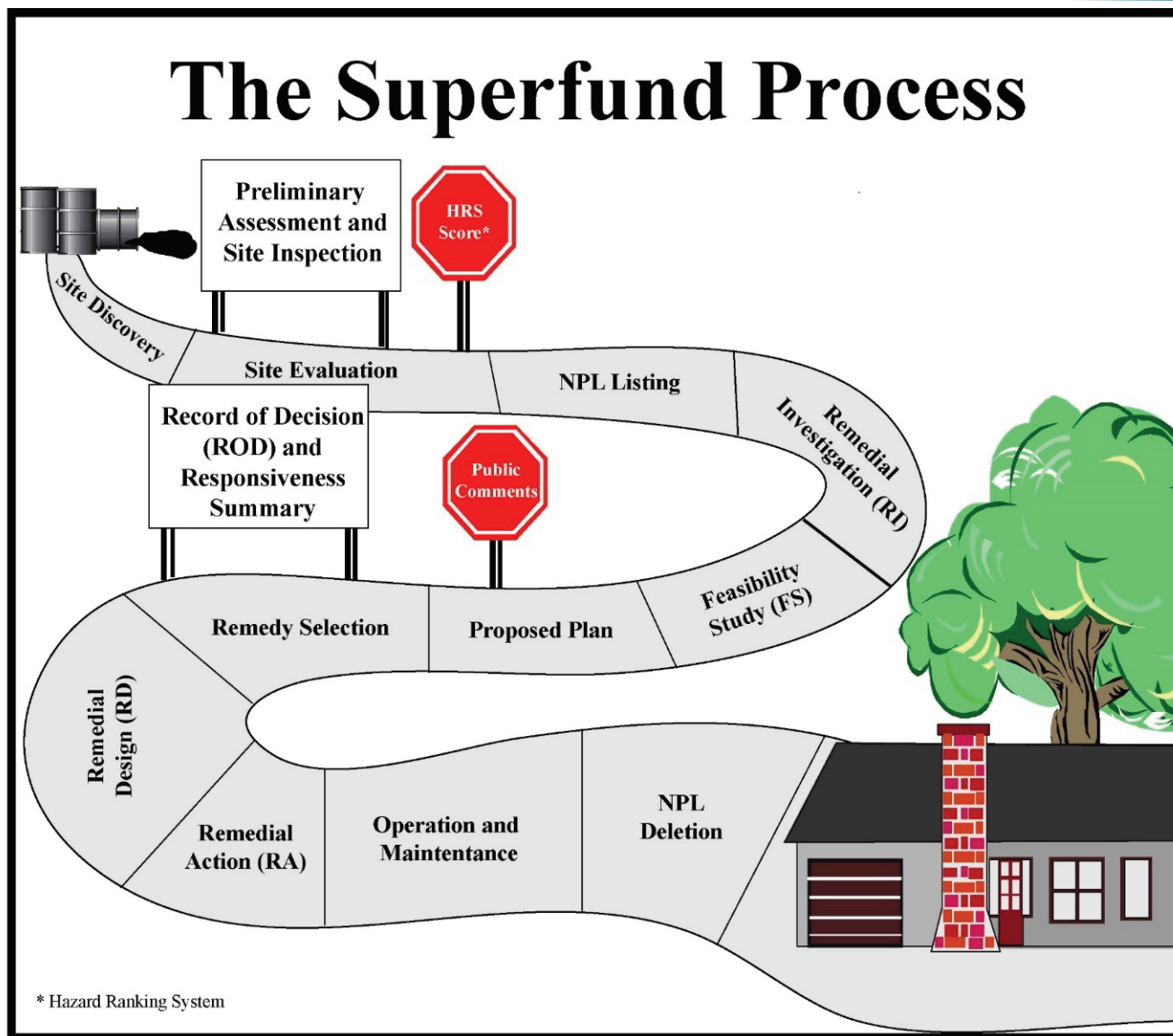
- ▶ Site Inspection evaluated the Surface Water Pathway

- ▶ Eco-receptors include:
 - Wetlands
 - County preserves containing wetlands (Joppa Preserve/Lemon Lake Park)
 - Endangered/threatened species

Current Status

- ▶ The Hazard Ranking System (HRS) is used to evaluate site for NPL eligibility:
 - The HRS is a numerically based scoring system or model
 - The HRS is a screening tool and not a risk assessment
 - The HRS score is the primary criterion EPA uses to determine whether a site should be placed on the NPL. Site must score 28.5 or greater on the HRS
 - The Lane Plating Superfund Site had a HRS score of 50 out of 100.
- ▶ The Site was listed on the National Priorities List (NPL) on May 17, 2018

Superfund Process



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REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION

- The remedial investigation serves as the mechanism for collecting data to:
 - characterize site conditions,
 - determine the nature of the waste,
 - assess risk to human health and the environment.



FEASIBILITY STUDY

- The feasibility study evaluates the cost and performance of technologies that could be used to clean up the site.
- EPA RI/FS Website:
<https://www.epa.gov/superfund/superfund-remedial-investigationfeasibility-study-site-characterization>



PATH FORWARD

- Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study activities (~2-4 years).
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Questions